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Chief
Section of Administration
Office of Proceedings
Surface Transportation Board
395 "E" Street, S.W.
Washington, D.C. 20423

**Dear Section Chief:** 

Enclosed for recordation pursuant to the provisions of 49 U.S.C. Section 11301(a) are two (2) copies of a Termination and Release Cession, dated as of January 13, 2011, a secondary document as defined in the Board's Rules for the Recordation of Documents.

The enclosed document relates to the Assignment (Cession) previously filed with the Board under Recordation Number 23918-B.

The names and addresses of the parties to the enclosed document are:

Lessee: National Railroad Passenger Corporation

10 G Street, NE

Washington, DC 20002

Owner Trustee: Amtrak Trust HS-EDC-1

c/o Wilmington Trust Company 1100 North Market Street

Wilmington DE 19801

Indenture Trustee: Manufacturers and Traders Trust Company

25 South Charles Street Baltimore, MD 21202

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A description of the railroad equipment covered by the enclosed document is:

High Speed Trainset Number 1 consisting of 8 railcars AMTK 2004, 2018, 3217, 3304, 3405, 3500, 3505 and 3511.

A short summary of the document to appear in the index is.

Termination and Release Cession.

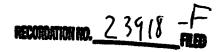
Also enclosed is a check in the amount of \$41.00 payable to the order of the Surface Transportation Board covering the required recordation fee.

Kindly return stamped copies of the enclosed document to the undersigned.

Very truly yours

Robert W. Alvord

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## TERMINATION AND RELEASE CESSION

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SLAFACE TRANSPORTATION BOARD

This TERMINATION AND RELEASE dated as of January 13, 2011 (this "Termination") is among (i) NATIONAL RAILROAD PASSENGER CORPORATION, a corporation organized under the Rail Passenger Service Act and the laws of the District of Columbia ("Amtrak"), (ii) AMTRAK TRUST HS-EDC-1 (the "Trust"), all of the activities of which shall be conducted by WILMINGTON TRUST COMPANY (in its individual capacity "Trust Company"), a Delaware banking corporation, not in its individual capacity but solely as Owner Trustee under that certain Trust Agreement (Amtrak Trust HS-EDC-1) dated as of November 6, 2000 between the Owner Participant named therein ("Owner Participant") and Trust Company ("US Lessor"), and (iii) MANUFACTURERS AND TRADERS TRUST COMPANY, a New York banking corporation, as successor in interest to Allfirst Bank, as indenture trustee ("Indenture Trustee") under that certain Trust Indenture and Security Agreement (Amtrak Trust HS-EDC-1), dated as of November 6, 2000, between Indenture Trustee and US Lessor ("Trust Indenture").

## WITNESSETH:

WHEREAS, GIE FINLINER JORAN ("Lessor") and Amtrak have entered into (i) that certain Crédit-Bail Agreement, dated September 25, 2000, and (ii) that certain Lease Supplement dated February 15, 2002 (collectively, as amended, supplemented and modified, the "Lease") pursuant to which Lessor leased the railcars described on Annex A hereto (the "Units") to Amtrak;

WHEREAS, Amtrak, US Lessor and Indenture Trustee have entered into that certain Assignment (Cession), dated as of March 29, 2002, which was filed and recorded on March 28, 2002 at 12:14 p.m. and has been assigned Recordation Number 23918-B with the Surface Transportation Board (the "Cession"),

WHEREAS, pursuant to the Trust Indenture, US Lessor granted, bargained, sold, assigned, transferred, conveyed, mortgaged, pledged and confirmed to Indenture Trustee a security interest in and a mortgage lien on all estate, right, title and interest of US Lessor in, to and under the Cession as security for certain obligations;

WHEREAS, the Cession provided for the assignment to the US Lessor by Amtrak of its rights as lessee of the Units under the Lease;

WHEREAS, pursuant to the Omnibus Amendment and Termination Agreement, dated as of January 13, 2011, among Amtrak, Lessor, US Lessor, Indenture Trustee and the other parties thereto, the Lease was terminated and all right, title and interest of Lessor in and to the Units was transferred to US Lessor; and

WHEREAS, on the date hereof, Amtrak, US Lessor and Indenture Trustee have made arrangements satisfactory to each of them to terminate the Cession; and

WHEREAS, in connection with the foregoing, parties desire to evidence and confirm the termination of the Lease and the Cession.

NOW, THEREFORE, Amtrak, US Lessor and Indenture Trustee agree as follows:

- Section 1. <u>Termination of the Cession and Release of the Units</u>. The Lease is hereby terminated, and all right, title and interest of US Lessor in and to the Units arising from and through the Cession are hereby terminated and released.
- Section 2. <u>Further Assurances</u>. US Lessor and Indenture Trustee hereby agree to execute and deliver to Amtrak, at Amtrak's expense, such additional instruments, notices, or releases as Amtrak may reasonably request to effectuate the foregoing provisions of this Termination.
- Section 3. Representations and Warranties. Each of Amtrak, US Lessor and Indenture Trustee represents and warrants that this Termination constitutes its legal and valid obligation, enforceable against it in accordance with its terms. US Lessor has full authority to terminate and release all of its right, title and interest in and to the Cession and to the Units, as provided herein.
- Section 4. <u>Counterparts</u>. This Termination may be executed in counterparts and all such executed counterparts shall constitute one and the same agreement.

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, each of Amtrak, US Lessor and Indenture Trustee has caused this Termination to be duly executed by its duly authorized representative as of the day and year first above written.

NATIONAL RAILROAD PASSENGER CORPORATION

By:

Name:

Dale M. Stein

Title:

Treasurer

DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA	) A ) ss )		
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said corporation.		Chia 740	
My Commission Expires:	Afg Commission Explor July 91, 2013	Notary Public, DC	7

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, each of Amtrak, US Lessor and Indenture Trustee has caused this Termination to be duly executed by its duly authorized representative as of the day and year first above written.

## AMTRAK TRUST HS-EDC-1

By: WILMINGTON TRUST COMPANY, not

in its individual capacity but solely as Owner Trustee

Name:

By:\_

Robert J. Perkins Title: Vice President

STATE OF DELAWARE	) ) SS.:	,
COUNTY OF NEW CASTLE	)	
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Trustee for Amtrak Trust HS-ED	C-1, that the foregoir	ng instrument was signed on behalf of said
Delaware banking corporation by	y authority of its boa	ard of directors, and he/she acknowledged
that the execution of the foregoing		free act and deed of said corporation.
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	<del></del>	Notary Public
	SSA E. ROBINSON blic - State of Delaware LExpires Oct. 26, 2014	

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, each of Amtrak, US Lessor and Indenture Trustee has caused this Termination to be duly executed by its duly authorized representative as of the day and year first above written.

> MANUFACTURERS AND TRADERS TRUST COMPANY, as Indenture Trustee

By:

Name: Artis Cummings, CQUS Title: Banking Officer